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Thinking Out Loud

By H. M. L.

The special election to choose a congressman to represent the Second District and fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harry L. Englebright takes place tomorrow. It is the privilege and the duty of every registered voter to go to the polls tomorrow and vote his or her preference among the three candidates, Mrs. Grace Englebright of Nevada County, State Senator Jesse Mayo of Calaveras County, and State Senator Clair Engle of Tehama County. We do not believe partisanship should influence any voter at this election. The Second District, largest in the United States, needs an able representative in Congress as never before.

Today we live in the most crucial epoch in the history of our country. We need strong, resolute leadership in Congress and in the White House. It is unfortunate that we have no men in public office today who can measure up to the stature of Winston Chuhchill and Anthony Eden to mention only the most eminent of the British War cabinet. Not only have the British outstanding leadership, but their parliament on the whole has given it an undivided loyalty. The truth of this statement is manifest in the fact that the British Empire still stands. It is easier, of course, for a small compact nation, only a third as large as ours, to choose its leadership. The British parliamentary system is also simpler and more quickly responsive to the popular will.

Another reason that the British have done so well, was because of the tremendous stress under which the entire island has been placed. They had to choose quickly and well or perish. We, with our unbounded industries, have still a remote conception of the fiery furnace through which England passed and Europe is passing. Nevertheless, whatever our war experience, we shall share to the full the after-war experience of the world, impoverished and fever-racked by war. For that time of trial which is coming, we need desperately to choose able representatives and senators in Congress. The times cry out for courageous and intelligent leadership. We need Congressmen who will set the pressure blocs back on their heels, who will restore the balance of power prescribed in the Constitution, who will probe and dose the vicious bureaucracy that covers the body of Uncle Sam with festering boils. We need vision, a revival of the ideals that gave us the Constitution. We won't get these things by sending mediocrities to posts of leadership.

As has often been remarked we are governed as well as we deserve and no better. Democracy fails in the measure that voters neglect their duty to vote. It has been estimated, for instance, that in the Second Congressional district tomorrow not more than 23,000 out of a registration of 80,000 will take the trouble to vote. in other words about one third of the voters are interested in their government and its future. No wonder Herr Hitler thought this country would be a push-over.

The small vote estimated indicates that only friends of the candidates and friends of the friends, will vote. The great majority who are able to make a disinterested appraisal of each candidate and go to the polls and deposit a ballot in accordance with their judgment, will not do so. To this neglect may be attributed most of the ills which beset a democracy. It is easy to say and to believe that even with its faults this is better than any other form of government, but few, too few, realize how much better it could be if every citizen played his part and voted.

DEPUTY REVENUE COLLECTOR TO AID TAXPAYERS

For the convenience of those who are required by law to file an estimate of their 1943 federal income taxes before September 15, 1943, a deputy collector of internal revenue will be at Chamber of Commerce Room, second floor, City Hall, Nevada City, September 1st to 7th, 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Postoffice, Grass Valley, September 8th to 15th to assist taxpayers in preparing their returns. No charge will be made for this service. The matter of filing your estimated tax return should be given your immediate attention, in order to avoid penalties.

These who are required to file an estimated income tax return are taxpayers receiving income of over $100 a year from the following sources: Income from rents and royalties, business, interest and dividends, domestic services in a private home, agricultural labor, or any other source for which there is no withholding. Single persons with an income for 1943 of over $2700 or married persons with an income of over $3500 are also required to file at this time. Farmers may file at this time, but are not required to file a return until December 15.

FATHERS WILL BE CALLED AFTER OCTOBER 25

The Nevada County Selective Service Board, No. 22, at Thursday's meeting in the court house considered instructions received concerniing the drafting of fathers of children born prior to September 14, 1942. Unless Congress countermands presinstructions fathers will begin to go into the armed services after October 25th.

The board will consider the reclassification of a third of its approximate 1200 registrants in Class 111-A. Forms intended to bring the information concerning these men up-to-date have been mailed out to approximately 400 fathers. The first thirty per cent will be called in the order of their order numbers, the lowest going in first.

According to instructions all fathers will be given an opportunity to change from non-essential to essential war employment. That is they will be given 5 days after receiving notice of reopening their classifications to register with the United States Employment Service, and thereafter they will have 30 days in which ent instruction fathers will go their readjustments.

The board is instructed carefully to consider cases that may involve extreme hardship and whether or not children will be adequately cared for in event the father is called to the colors.

Essential employments are those which support the war effort such as farming, and those which directly aid the war effort, such as plane and ship building.

The number of fathers who will be called to serve will depend, it seems apparent, upon the number of those who seek and find employment in war industries or war supporting industries, and thereby make available single men and childless married men, now deferred because of critical occupation shortages.

THOMPKINS HELD TO ANSWER

David Thomjkins, charged with an aggravated assault, a felony, in a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace Charles A. Morehouse Friday, was held to answer in the superior court. His bail was fixed at $1,000, which he failed to produce. The complaining witness is Private William Mahoney, stationed at Camp Beale, who alleges that Thompkins attacked him with a chair in an auto camp cabin on the Idaho Maryland Road on the night of August 22nd.

MRS. WILL JOHNSON TO BE HOSTESS TA WSCS

The WSCS of the Methodist church will meet next Wednesday at luncheon at the home of Mrs. Will Johnson on West Broad street. Following there will be an excellent program.

JOHN FLETCHER IS SUMMONED

John Fletcher, 55, for some time an employee of the Tahoe National Forest died last midnight at Miners Hospital following a long illness. He and Mrs. Fletcher lived on Jordan street. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Holmes Funeral Home.

Frank Finnegan Now Commissioned Army Officer

According to a letter received by a friend, Frank Finnegan, former member of the Nevada County Selective Board and of the school board, and former city attorney has been commissioned a lieutenant in the United States Army and assigned to headquarters in Salt Lake City.

Finnegan stated he had graduated from a special course in the law school at Ann Arbor, Michigan, and that he will serve in the office of the judge advocate general.

Doris Rosynski and James H. Bertram Wed

Miss Elsie Doris Rosynskl and James Horace Betram, seaman of the U. S. Navy, were married Saturday at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. William Mullis, on Boulder street. Rev. David Ralston read the marriage service.

Claude W. Dampier was best man and Miss Charlotte Karking was bridesmaid. Several friends of the young people witnessed the ceremony.

Three Juvenile Cases Are Disposed Of

The juvenile court, with Judge George L. Jones presiding, has disposed of the three boys charged with robbing a trailer house at Boca, Nevada County. William Maypole, alias Howard Williams, has been returned to Santa Rosa, authorities from whom he escaped. Elbert Thornton had been returned to a sister in Burlington, Iowa. Fred Fahrner was committed to the Preston School of Industry. All three were under 18 years of age.

Truck Axle Breaks Scattering Baled Hay

Wilbert Kotchapaw, a rancher returning with a truck loaded with baled hay from the Sacramento Valley, was driving out West Main street in Grass Valley, when the rear axle broke on a down grade. The pair of two wheels each broke away and the truck skidded on down the grade and turned over on its side, spilling baled hay across the road.

Kotchapaw, aged 64 years was unhurt. He got out and pulled the bales out of traffic. The truck was undamaged save for the broken axle.

Economic Committee Chairman Names Aids

William Durbrow, chairman of the Grass Valley Economic Committee, at a luncheon meeting of the Grass Valle Chamber of Commerce, announced the names of members he has asked to serve with him. They are John J. Looser, Brookes Hartman, A. B. Foote, Ernest George, and Vernon Stoll.

The committee is a part of a statewide organization which will canvass all possibilities for employment when war ends, and, according to Durbrow, "provide a stock pile of work," for men discharged from the arm and industry when the country returns to a peace-time economy.

Major Gerald Wallace Gives Talk On Firearms

Major Gerald B. Wallace, military instructor of the Placer Junior College and Placer High School of Auburn gave an interesting address before the Lions Club at dinner Thursday night on the use of fire arms.

Wallace demonstrated safety methods in carrying guns, stressing the need of keeping the sight pointed away from all members of a party and from the person using the gun. He demonstrated a trigger squeeze and passed around several specimens of fire arms, including one old musket that had been used in buffalo hunts.

The speaker discussed the new California High School Cadet Corps law which makes it mandatory in high schools of 100 students or more to give four-year instruction in military drill and marksmanship.

BOY SCOUTS OFF FOR WEEK AT CAMP PAHATSI

Boy Scouts from Auburn, Grass Valley and Nevada City, numbering in all about 60, left yesterday for the scout lodge at Camp Pahatsi to spend one of the two remaining weeks of school vacation there.

Scout Executive Robert J. Frank, of the Tahoe Area, will be in charge of the camp, assisted by scout masters from time to time. The Camp Pahatsi outing for the scouts was arranged to accommodate all boys who have helped with the harvests in July and August.

NEARLY 300 MEN STOP BRUSH FIRE OVER 1500 ACRES

A grass and brush fire swept over 1,500 acres approximately, Saturday afternoon and evening between Dry Creek and Wolf Road in the western end of Nevada County. The flames burned over parts of the Hoeffert, Palmerton and Black ranches. No buildings were destroyed but a number of fences were burned.

State Fire Warden William Sharp, besides his own crews, numbering 75 men, was assisted by 200 soldiers from Camp Beale and a crew from the Tahoe National Forest. Twelve pumper trucks, some of them from Camp Beale were employed. The fire was placed under control Saturday night and yesterday a patrol of approximately 50 men was established to guard against extension of the fire.

PENSION ROLL FOR NEEDY AGED GAINS IN JULY

Old age assistance rolls in Nevada county were upped by 15 new cases during July, California Taxpayers' association's study of the first month of increased and more liberal old age aid laws in California counties show.

The number of people receiving aged aid in the county went from 499 in June to 512 in July, a net increase in the roll of 13 during July. Withdrawals from the rolls account for the difference between the number of new cases added and the net increases the association stated.

At the end of July there were 24 applications for old age aid pending in the county. At the close of April, there were 18 cases pending, with the number of applications trending upward for the months since April.

Average aid per needy aged person jumped from $36.37 for June to $46.33 for July, the effective date for the increased aid being July 1, the association stated. Total aid granted in the county from county, state and federal funds increased from $18.151 in June to 23,720 in July.

FEW ABSENTEE BALLOTS TAKEN

The time in which absentee voters can obtain ballots at the county clerk's office, expired Thursday at 5 p. m. with only 189 ballots called for in the special election on August 31. This compares with an approximate 900 ballots called for in general elections.

Political observers sometimes use the call for absentee ballots as a gauge of public interest in pending elections.

Game Law Changes Printed in Free Booklet

A summary of 1943 changes in the fish and game laws affecting the man afield or astream has been compiled by Robert W. Kenny, Attorney General of California, and is ready for free distribution to California sportsmen, according to advices received today from the attorney general's office.

CIO PLEDGE ROUSES TEHAMA LIVESTOCK MEN

A political writer in Sunday's San Francisco Chronicle comments on tomorrow's election as follows:

An asserted pledge to support the CIO's program for price rollback and subsidies, coupled with a $500 CIO union campaign contribution has stirred up a political hornet's nest for State Senatar Clare Engle, Tehama count, a candidate for Congress Second district.

Tehama county ranks high among the livestock areas of the state and it appears the farmers are pretty well worked up over the Engle pledge since they are reported as not seeing eye to eye with him on the subsidy program.

The incident has caused added interest to the race for the seat of the late Representative Harry L. Englebright. The special election will be held Tuesday.

The other candidates are State Senator Jesse M. Mayo, Angels Camp, and Mrs. Grace Jackson Englebright, widow of the Second district representative.

Senator Mayo has represented many of the counties in the district during his ten years as an assemblyman and senator.

Mayo declares he believes his ten year record in the legislature, coupled with experience gained on uumerous visits to Washington on official state business, qualifies him to represent the second district.

Mayo has pledged "full support to President Roosevelt as commander-in-chief of our army and navy." He favors abandonment of isolationism and a peace program based on full cooperation with the United Nations in disarming the Axis. The candidate also favors maintenance by the army and navy of sufficient forces to forever protect this country and to stand ready to join with other United Nations in preventing future wars.

Mayo favors abandonment of the OPA's price rollback and subsidy program "in favor of allowing small businessmen and farmers a fair profit on their labors."

DAUGHTER OF SIERRA SUN PUBLISHER WEDS

TRUCKEE, Aug. 28.—On Saturday afternoon in the chapel of the Tahoe Episcopal Church, Miss Dorothy Barrett became the bride of Robert George Leamon in a double ring ceremony. The rites were performed by Bishop Noel Porter of the Sacramento Diocese in the presence of members of the immediate families.

Miss Barrett was given in marriage by her father, Walter Barrett, publisher of the Sierra Sun. Miss Roberta Clement, a cousin from Modesto, acted as bride's maid and James Leamon attended his brother as best man.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Barrett and graduated from Woodland and Truckee schools before attending the University of Nevada where she was a member of Alpha Epsilion Delta, pre-medical organization and was associated with the Tri Delta sorority. She has been employed at Loynd's Truckee Drug and until recently was on the personnel staff of the social welfare department for the state.

Leamon, son of Mrs. Harold T. Langille, of Truckee, and J. R. Leamon of Seattle, recently returned from the South Pacific area where he engaged in five major engagements with the Japs as signalman second class. Among these battles was the famous Kula Gulf encounter from which he was rescued after his ship the cruiser, U. S. S. Helena, was torpedoed and sunk in the heroic battle. He attended Truckee and Seattle schools and when he enlisted before Pearl Harbor, was employed by his step father, owner of the Rotary Oil and Burner Company.

Following the wedding trip of unrevealed destination, the bridegroom will attend a sub-chaser school at Miami, Florida and the future Mrs. Leamon plans to make Truckee her home until the close of the war.

The day had a double significance for the bride as it was also her birthday.

JAPS TO LOSE SILK INDUSTRY TO CALIFORNIA

While Japan is getting a sock in the jaw, the people of California are getting ready for the silk stocking trade. A million figure industry will develop on the Pacific Coast where silk is now to be produced. A writer comments on the silk industry loss by Japan as follows:

"The Japanese have lost forever their principal customer for silk. Hereafter Uncle Sam will produce his own silk and California by the way, will gain an important new industry.

"A concern in Los Angeles county has invented and installed machinery that makes unspinning of silk cocoons easy and fast. A very large number of silk worms have been put to work and more of these automatic silk producers are being obtained on a mass production basis.

"With American machinery and methods, fewer worms will be required to provide an adequate supply of silk. The American variety, according to experts, contains about ninety two per cent top quality, compared with ten per cent for Japanese silk.

It is forecast by the producers that American silk will not only be superior in quality but less expensive than that heretofore imported from Japan, as mass production methods are put into effect.

"War necessity has spurred American enterprise to develop many new lines of industry formerly specialized in by our enemies. This newest business adapted from Japan will be of special importance to California because feed for silkworms may be grown the year 'round without creating artificial conditions in this semi-tropical climate."

S. P. TO ABANDON TRUCKEE-LAKE TAHOE LINE

The Southern Pacific Company announced this week that it has applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission for authority to remove the tracks of its Lake Tahoe branch line extending from Truckee to Tahoe, a distance of 14 miles. The company will continue to take care of its passenger business by bus from Truckee to Tahoe as is now being done, it was announced.

Construction of modern paved highways serving the Tahoe area has diverted traffic from this line and further, the application points out, the abandonment of the branch will enable recovery of track materials vitally needed for the company's wartime operations. Through rail service to Lake Tahoe has not been provided since 1941, because of the transportation emergency created by the war.

"The Lake Tahoe branch line cannot compete with bus and private automobiles on the all-year highway serving the lake," said F. S. McGinnis, vice president in charge of passenger traffic. " Our traffic to the lake is highly seasonal and rehabilitation of the line every spring is costly. Furthermore, track materials involved could now be put to much greater public use in the war emergency.

"After the war," McGinnis said, "the Southern Pacific will park Pullmans at Truckee during the resort season and by arrangement with the Greyhound bus line will provide for connecting motor bus service to the lake with the most up to date equipment.

The Lake Tahoe branch has been opeated by Southern Pacific since 1925 and was originally a narrow gauge line owned by the Lake Tahoe Railway and Transportation company from which the property was acquired.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

BERTRAM-ROSYNSKI — In Nevada City, Nevada County, August 27, 1943, James Horace Bertram, 22, U. S. Navy, and Elsie Doris Roynski, 19, Nevada City.

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JUST WONDERIN'

I wonder if you will remember, Ben Bolt,
To bank all the camp fires you build,
And also that matches and ciragettte stubs
Can't start deadly fires when they're killed.
And if you meet Alice, sweet Alice Ben Bolt,
Don't frighten the maid with a frown,
But smile at her gently and speak soft and low
Till her own cigarette simmers down.

I wonder what became of all the memory courses which were so popular a few years ago. I recall how extensively they were advertised in newspapers and magazines and ballyhoed from radio stations and how eminent memory experts organized memory classes in our towns and cities and intrigued us by promising to train our recalcitrant memories until they would function in every conceivable pinch at a split moment's notice.

The modus operandi never seemed to vary; there were long formulas to be memorized and these taxed the memory to a much greater extent than did the date or event we wished to make our own. Then there was the trick of association; so invaluable when one wished to acquire the art of remembering the names of relatives, friends and chance acquaintances. You know how it worked; if, for instance, the new friend's name was Wheeler, all one had to do was to associate it with wheels—carriage wheels, pin wheels, or wheels within wheels. The theory was that, after placing the name Wheeler in company with all these wheels, you would never again hesitate in its presence. That name would be upon your tongue's end and if you did not meet the man for ten, even twenty years, when you did contact him, you'd be able to walk right up and greet him in eminently proper fashion.

A girl friend of mine, who was a talented exponent of expression, thought to improve her social graces by taking a course in memory training. Subsequently, during a program of classic readings, she met an imposing personage whose name was Chick. "I'll remember that name," thought the young entertainer, "I'll associate it with chickory, chick seed, chicken pie, and chickenpox." A year later, upon again meeting the imposing one. my friend smiled confidently and exclaimed, "why, how do you do, Mrs. Hen."

Truly, the evoluntionary processes of time have changed our methods of memory training. Now, we are told that all we have ever learned, read, heard or seen, is neatly filed away in our sub-conscious minds and that, when we wish to remember anything, we have anly to reach within and bring forth the desired data. It sounds very simple, but it doesnt' always work—with me.

I wonder if we should rely entirely upon sub-conscious files as summer days pass by. This is the season of extreme fire hazard and in consideration of that fact, wouldn't it be well to create a number of mental neon signs, ablaze with words of warning and keep them in sight both day and night? Here are a few suggestions: Remove inflammable debris from about the house and grounds. Bank camp fires. Extinguish lighted matches and cigarette stubs before discarding them. Keep the fire demon in check. Make safety first the inexorable order of the day.

Uncle Silas says: "The names that appear prominently as Hitler reorganizes his terrorist gangs, seem to indicate that his favorite song is. "Give me my brutes and saddists."—A. Merriam Conner.

THOUGHTS FOR SOLDIERS

As Congress comes back to work, high on its list of jobs to be done is provision for taking care of the returning soldiers and sailors—men and women.

It already got thisjob under way last spring when it extended to the veterans of World War II most of the benefits previously granted to veterans of the first World War. This was one of the facts the president overlooked in his address addressed to the soldier vote.

The president also overlooked the fact that other bills are now awaiting action, bills introduced by Republican members of Congress to provide for those who need special care and those who will need help while they are getting back into civilian life.

Still further, the president overlooked his own record of the past toward the veterans.

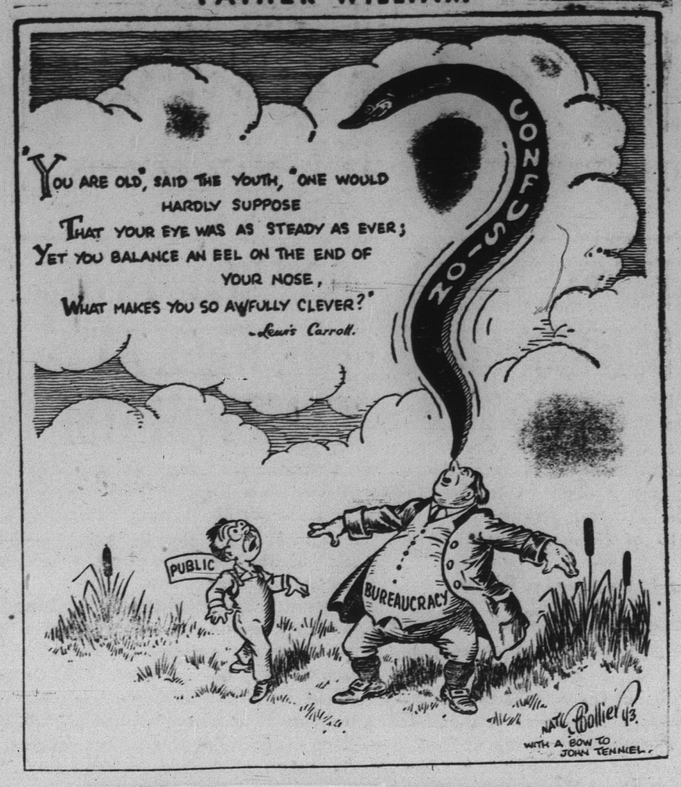
One of his first important legislative enactments in 1933 was to force repeal of virtually all laws "granting medical or hospital treatment, domiciliary care, compensation and other allowances, pensions, disability allowance or retirement pay for veterans and dependents."

Before the American Legion convention at Chicago, on October 2, 1933, Mr. Roosevelt explained how he personally felt regarding payment of benefits to fathers and grandfathers of the boys who are now serving in the armed forces.

Said he, on that occasion: "The second principle is that no person because he wore the uniform, must thereafter be placed in a special class of beneciaries over and above all other citizens. The fact of wearing a uniform does not mean that he can demand and receive from his government a benefit which not other citizen receives. It does not mean that because a person served in the defense of his country, performed a basic obligation of citizenship, he should receive a pension from his government because of a disability incurred after his service had terminated, and not connected with that service."

About that time also the president said it is attitude and not words that count.

FATHER WILLIAM


"You are old," said the youth, "one would hardly suppose
That your eye was as steady as ever;
Yet you balance an eel on the end of your nose,
What makes you so awfully clever?"
—Lewis Carroll.
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With a bow to John Tenniel.

WANT WALLACE FOR FOOD CZAR

Well folks once again the experts at Washington have hit upon a brilliant idea. This time they figure that the best place to put Vice President Wallace, would be as Food Czar. Thus he would be in charge of food production, price control and all rationing. Some of the "hotsy totsy" boys in the old AAA are pushing this idea forward. Did you farmers read Mr. Wallace's speeches at Detroit and Des Moines? The weather was very hot in Des Moines, Iowa, when Mr. Wallace gave his speech. The weather over here in the east was exceedingly hot at the time that Mr. Wallace's speech was carried in the press. That day we and a lot of others picked up the paper and started to read what Mr. Wallace had to say.

He was reported as saying that what the country needed was all-out production after the war. He said the corporations would seek a return to a "capitalism of scarcity." And he added: "There's only one program under which agriculture, labor and, in my opinion, business as well, can prosper after the war and that's all-out production." The Vice President said he was itching to roll up his sleeves and get into the fight for all-out production.

Suddenly, my head swam. Things floated before my eyes. I sank down in my chair. Then I saw that what was floating before me were pigs. Black and white pigs. Little ones. Twenty, fifty, a hundred and then thousands of pigs. It seemed to me there were millions of pigs, ghostly little pigs, all with curly tails.

I shuddered. Had I gone nuts? I didn't know. My electric fan pushed a breeze across my brow and I began to get control of myself.

And then they came again. There they were again. Those poor little pigs. Not pink pigs, but black and white pigs. Millions of them. They seemed to be soaring over a field of plowed-under cotton. Or was it wheat? Pathetic little ghosts of poor little pigs. Million of them.

And now they follow me. I roam all over the house and then outdoors. And all I can see is pigs, little pigs floating in the air. I can't stand it.

Tell me, do you think I'm nuts? Someone is nuts. Who is it? Please tell me.—Dairy Farmers' Digest.

POST-WAR PROGRESS

The Republican Post-War Advisory Council, meeting in September in Michigan, will begin to form the pattern which Republican leaders are confident will lead to victory over the New Deal in 1944, but, more importantly, bring an era of progress to America after the war without millions on the relief rolls.

Undoubtedly this first session of the council will divide itself into two approaches to the post-war problem: (1) cooperation with other nations to prevent another war and stimulation of international trade; (2) charting a course for reconverting America from war-time to peace-time production so that there will be jobs and opporeunities for all.

To those two basic objectives there must be added the task of stream-lining the federal government—decentralizing power back to local governments, eliminating the hundreds of thousands of useless employments, ending waste, and reorganizing the tax system.

Through the Council, Harrison E. Spangler, chairman of the GOP National Committee, has brought the leadership or the party into collective thought and action. The council is composed of 24 Republican governors, 5 senators, 12 members of the House, and 8 members of the National Committee.

Out of the two days of "shirt-sleeve" conferences in Michigan, and continuing sub-committee research and study in the months prior to the Republican National Convention in 1944, Republicans are confident of presenting to the nation a program offering enterprise, opportunity and Americanism in contrast to the New Deal philosophy of "spend and spend, tax and tax, elect and elect."

CONGRESS AND THE OWI

When Congress cut the appropriation for the Office of War Information on the ground that it was being used as a politicai propaganda bureau, many New Dealers screamed that Congress was interfering with the war.

Mr. Elmer Davis, the director of OWI, sulked and spoke of resigning if Congress took away any of his money.

But now, after only two months of operation on the new budget, Mr. Palmer Hoyt, publisher of the Portland "Oregonian" and the new director of the domestic division, is quoted by the New York Herald-Tribune as saying OWI is "operating on as sound a basis, if not sounder, than previously." With 805 fewer job-holders.

Score one for Congress. One against the bureaucrats.

Congress Repeals OPA Grade Labeling Order

Grade labeling requirements which were written into a score of maximum price regulations to protect the buyer where ceiling prices depend on the quality grade of an article have been repealed, the Office of Price Administration announced today, in a summary of the action taken to conform to the mandate of congress.

The Taft Amendment to the Commodity Credit Corporation Act, which became section 2 (j) of the Emergency Price Control Act, as amended, prohibits OPA from requiring grade labeling.

Amendments to price regulations covering beef, veal, lamb and mutton variety meats and sausage, butter, eggs, canned fruits and vegetables are among those which have been changed.

In the case of rayon hosiery where the retail ceiling is based on grade, the price must be shown but the requirement of grade marking has been eliminated.

SIMPLICITY

The OPA has issued an amendment to the fruit cake price regulations as follows:

"All commodities listed in Appendix A are those known to the trade as such excepting therefrom such thereof, if any, while subject to another regulation."

This, according to legal circles, means a slight increase in the price of fruit cake.

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"FLYING SCOTSMEN"

PARADING in front of a twin-engined training aircraft, these "Flying Scotsmen" from No. 9 Service Flying Training School at Centralia, Ont., are the first pipe band in the Royal Canadian Air Force.

The band traces its origin to a Burns Night dinner at which Air Force officers of Scottish descent voiced regret that the Land o' the Heather and the Haggis had no representation in the R.C.A.F., although there were many Highland regiments in the Army. Present was Group Captain E. G. Fullerton, who conceived the idea of adding three pipers, Corporal Jimmy Ross, Leading Aircraftman P. H. Ince and Leading Aircraftman W. J. Mutch, to the station band. Later, when No. 9 S.F.T.S. was transferred from Summerside, P.E.I., to Centralia, the pipe section was considerably augmented by the addition of several pipers and drummers from the Cameron Cadets of Winnipeg. Now, 14 strong, it is a separate musical organization but its members still do their regular air force jobs.

Their tartan, woven from the official R.C.A.F. colors of azure blue, navy blue and cardinal red, was specially created for the Air Force by Group Captain Fullerton. The design was approved by the Air Council and registered in the archives of the Court of Lord Lyon at Edinburgh, Scotland, official repository of the weaves of the Scottish clans. The costume is that of the traditional Highland regiments, translated into R.C.A.F. colors. They wear Glengarry caps of navy blue, with checked "flashings" of light blue, dark blue and red, a feather cockade and silver R.C.A.F. cap badge. Their tunics are of Air Force blue, but of special cloth and design, cut away in front to accommodate their sporrans. Buttons are of silver and the silk epaulets are also in Air Force colors. Hose tops are the same color as the cap "flashings".

MITCHELL BAD CHECK WRITER IS SENTENCED

Leslie G. Mitchell, sign painter, living at 725 K setreet in Sacramento was denied probation and sentenced to serve one year in a Sacramento county road camp, Wednesday after a plea of guilty in Sacramento superior court on a charge of issuing fictitious crecks.

Juanita his wife who also plealed guilty to a similar charge was given two years probation, the first four months to be served in the county jail.

According to a report by the Sacramento probation officer, Mitchell had been arrested previously on check charges. He reported they had passed $90 in checks in Sacramento stores.

Mitchell was wanted by Nevada county officers for violation of his probation granted in this county. He was to have been brought back to this county but the Sacramento authorities reported "hold charges" pending against him in that county, and in several other counties in California.

WE'RE FIGHTING A WAR, NOT A REVOLUTION

Some of the most constructive thinking on the subject of post-war planning for returning servicemen and women came out of the convention of the California Department of the American Legion, held in San Francisco recently.

Legionnaires know the problems of the returning servicemen and women first hand. Their approach is a practical one, based on their own experience. And because their approach is practical, they have never lost sight of the fact that we still have the war to win.

That's why they are somewhat irritated at the spectacle of Vice-President Wallace's promised "social revolution."

Roane Waring, the national commander of the American Legion, echoed the sentiment of many people, both veteran and non-veteran, when he declared: "The Vice-President of these United States made this statement a few months ago: 'The social revolution is on its way, and the devil and all his angels can't stop it.' Well, Mr. Wallace, the devil and his angels might not be able to stop it, but by the eternal God the American Legion will!"

Vice President Wallace has been taking such a long view of the world in general, he has missed some details very close to the hearts and lives of the American people.

Please Mr. Wallace:—we've got a war to win—not a social revolution so let's get on with it.

AMADOR EDITOR ENDORSES MAYO

The Amador Dispatch, Democratic weekly newspaper published in Jackson, last week editorially endorsed Senator Jesse Mayo for congress. Following is the editorial:

"The Dispatch gives its endorsement to the candidacy of Senator Jesse M. Mayo of Calaveras County, for the office of representative in congress from the Second Congressional District of which Amador County is a part.

"We have a number of reasons for suport of his election.

"We have known Senator Mayo personally since he entered the political field as a candidate for the assembly a decade ago. We have watched his work as a legislator in the lower house and later in the state senate for it was work that affested this district.

"The best testimonial of his worth as a representative in the state legislature was his return to service term after term by the voters of this district. He was one that devoted time and attention to forwarding the interests of his district every day of the week and every month of the year.

"Senator Mayo knows the needs of the Second Congressional District for as an assemblyman he represented ten of the eighteen counties within its confines. He was called upon to serve those needs and his elevation to the senatorship in Calaveras, Tuolumne and Mariposa Counties did not diminish the interest that he had previously manifest when a member of the lower house.

"The fanfare of political pressure has never swept Jesse Mayo off his feet. He has been a consistent and aggressive worker in the interest of his district and he has been drafted for work on numerous interim committees dealing with state wide problems.

"His legislative record is one that wins approval. It has never been programmed by party affiliation but rather has been prompted by a study of the questions involved and a practice of sound, common sense.

"As congressman, that practice would be followed for we know Jess Mayo well enough to know that a pride in his political acivities would govern his action at Washington as it has at Sacramento."

CIRCLES

In Louiseville, Ky., the public library received a telephone inquiry as to how much money one could take out of the country. The library called the Office of War Information. OWI suggested that the federal reserve bank be called to obtain the information. The library telephoned the bank. "Heck", we are the ones who want to know." it replied.

Unfortunately moving Harry Hopkins out of the White House doesn't remove him from the White House inner council of favorites.

URGENT NEED OF CLEAN RAGS AT CAMP BEALE

If it takes an estimated 5000 pounds of rags to keep the guns clean of one battalion of the 13th Armored Division during six weeks of maneuvers and a battalion is only one of the smaller organizations within the division, some lively computation would give the pounds or tons of rags which must be collected from the communities within a 50 mile radius of Camp Beale to serve the troops in the immediate future.

The Nevada City Red Cross Chapter will establish a rag bin in the fire department of the cit hall and urges all residents to leave rags there.

Enlisted men, noncoms and the staff are urging that communities within the Camp Beale area start immediately rab collection drives. In Grass Valley the clean white or colored rags may be left at the Grass Valley Chapter House on South Auburn street and they will be taken to camp.

Soldier groups at various times have pleaded for rags but this week a number of GI's decided to do some thing more about it and started a house-to-house canvas in Grass Valley for clean rags. They collected 200 pounds during the day, which may serve their immediate purposes, but that still leaves thousands of sildiers without.

Nevada City, Grass Valley, Colfax, Auburn, Lincoln, Wheatland, Marysville, Yuba City, Meridian, Colusa, Oroville and smaller communities have been called aspossible clean rag sources.

Only a soldier realizes the importance of the rags, for the condition of his gun at inspection and at other times determines the amount of liberty and other privileges he may enjoy.

In a "spit and polish" outfit like the 13th Armored, it is mandatory that every doughboy be at his very best and if a few pounds of rags from every home will do the trick—let's see that they get them.

NO FREEDOM OF PRESS WITHOUT NEWSPRINT

It must be remembered that freedom of the press to which so many administration officials in Washington and elsewhere object depends to a large extent upon the availability of paper on which to print.

Newspapers already have suffered serious curtailment because of the shortage of newsprint. And recently, word came out of Washington that the newspapers were threatened with another thirty per cent cut in their supply of paper.

In order to make sure that the prospective curtailment was not a move by the bureaucrats to strike back at newspapers that had been critical of their activities, a Congressional Committee undertook an investigation.

And the latest word from this committee is that the huge additional cut may be averted or reduced. We hope so, for two reasons. We believe such an annihilative blow at newspapers is wholly unwarranted on the basis of the available newsprint supply. And we believe that all other democratic freedoms rest on the freedom of the press—which it is the public responsibility of the newspapers to maintain.

FORMER RESIDENT IS VISITOR

Fenton Fleming, native of Boulder street, came up from Sacramento during the past week end to spend his annual vacation in his old home. Fleming is in his fortieth year with the Weinstock-Lubin Company. He was in the yardage department for 30 years and is now in the bedding department. His father, the late Jos. Fleming, owned and conducted a dry goods store at Pine and Broad Sts., and Fenton worked for his father two years before going to Sacramento. A large lot on the Fleming property is known as the "circus ring" as the circus always opened up there in olden days with its merry go round, side shows and many other features which were a delight to old and young. Mr. Fleming's brother, LaMar Fleming as a Japanese prisoner of war in Manila.

SMOKE SCREEN

John Kotal, secretary of the National Association of Retail Meat Dealers, calls the government's meat subsidy plan "the most dangerous step yet taken." "It is just an expensive smoke screen to cover the blunders made by the OPA," he said.

Howard Bennetts Calls Meeting for Bond Drive

A mass meeting will be held this evening in the Grass Valley City Hall to plan the Third War Loan campaign in Grass Valley. The meeting is called by Howard Bennetts, committee chairman.

Bennetts will be assisted by Harry Poole, C. B. Grenfell, E. M. Rector, William Durbrow, Fred W. Nobs, Ernest George and Roy Terrell.

Representatives of all civic and fraternal organizations have been specially invited to attend this meeting. Bennetts states that the goal of $15,000,000,000 set nationally will mean that every man, woman and child in the nation will need to purchase an average of $100 worth of bonds each.

Visual Standard Is Lowered For Aviation

The Aviation Examining Board, 49 Fourth Street, San Francisco, announced today through the Recruiting Officer for Northern California, Cpl. Arthur R. Taylor that the minimum physical standards for Aviation Cadet Training (Air Crew) in the Army Air Forces have recently been notified to provide for a minimum visual acuity of 20/30 in each eye. Formerly a minimum standard of 20/20 in each eye, without correction was required.

Applicants for avition cadet training who heretofore have been found disqualified oslely because of defective vision approximating 20/25 or 20/30, are invited to re-apply for this training at the Army Recruiting Office, Post Office Building, Chico, California.

War Labor Board Considers Nurses' Wages

The War Labor Board, Tenth Region, called a meeting in San Francisco and Los Angeles for the purpose of gathering facts and information with respect to salaries and wages paid to nurses in California. Hospital administrators and nurse representatives attended.

It was authoritatively stated by the representative of the War Labor Board that at the present time the approved salary level for general duty nurses in California is $140 to $155. Further, that the War Labor Board cannot recognize or approve salary increases beyond the prevailing level for any hospital coming within the jurisdiction of the War Labor Board. This includes all non-profit charitable hospitals as well as proprietary hospitals.

It was the urgent request of all present at these meetings that Dr. Dodd, Associate Public Member of the NWLB, appeal to the War Labor Board in Washington, D. C., to include the proprietary hospitals in General Order No. 26. Dr. Dodd has left for Washington where he will discuss the whole situation.

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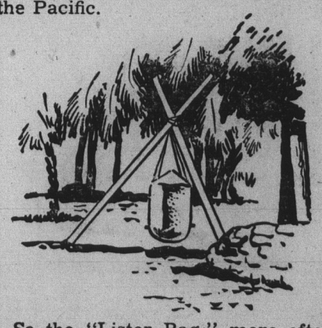
Water Camel

Thirst is one enemy of armies and navies that may be frustrated by a generous supply of water. Typhus, another dreaded plague is another enemy that must be subdued in Africa, in the jungle islands of the Pacific.



So the "Lister Bag," more often called the "water camel," or just "camel," is used. The "Lister Bag" is a khaki colored canvas bag having a capacity of about 30 gallons.

It will require many War Bonds to provide enough "camels" for our fighting forces at home and abroad. Yours too! **"Back the attack with War Bonds."** *U. S. Treasury Department*

PLANNING RESULTS

From 1932 to 1939, through government restriction, the acreage in 17 leading crops harvested was reduced by 47,000,000 acres. These 17 crops are about 95 per cent of our whole harvested areas.

After reading Vice President Wallace's recent speeches, it is easy to understand why President Roosevelt doesn't want him for a vice president candidate again.

Perhaps the Wallace-Jones scrap should have been trial balooned in "My Day."

The New Deal is having trouble selling that idea on freedom from want and freedom from fear to several thousand little business men who have been forced into bankruptcy by New Deal policies.

Bees had a hard season last year because of frequent rains, cold weather, and a shortage of honey for winter food.

Carson City is the smallest state capital in the United States.

California's largest Portuguese settlement centers in San Leandro, Alameda County.

San Francisco is outranked only by New York and Chicago in federal reserve member bank deposits.

Forty one per cent of Pacific Coast wholesale trade is handled in the San Francisco bay region.

During the first six months of 1943, it is estimated that a total of $1,050,000,000 was paid to manufacturing wage earners in California compared to $168,000,000 during the first half of 1939.

Carbon dioxide gas of good commercial quality has been discovered seeping from the ground in Mendocino and Sonoma counties.

Richmond Cal., has inaugurated a new tax of $10 per business and $1 per employee to raise funds to cope with its huge population influx.

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WITH OUR BOYS IN GLOBAL WAR

Bill Usrey—

Bill Usrey, son of Mrs. John Webber is enjoying a short leave from the U. S. Navy coming up from San Francisco Saturday. He is now fireman third class and will enter school to train for another eight or nine months.

Corporal Robert Farmer—

Corporal Robert Farmer of Camp Abbott, Bend, Oregon, arrived in Nevada City Friday and remained until Saturday evening visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Farmer, of Boulder street, on his three day furlough.

Corporal Richard James—

Cororal Richard James, son of Mrs. Nance James, has been moved from Camp Haan near Riverside to a camp near Salt Lake. He has graduated from radio school in Los Angeles with high honors.

Edmund Kan—

Edmond Kan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kan local merchants, received his call to service and left for San Francisco today. He enlisted in the Merchant Marine six months ago and was too young to enter the service. He will enter as a cadet and take several months training. He is the only local boy to go into this branch of the service. Eddie graduated from the local schools and has assisted his father here in the store. He will be 18 in October.

Halstead Downey—

Halstead Downey, gunner in U. S. Navy, and Miss Dorothy Jones of San Bruno were married in Reno, Saturday evening. Accompanying them on the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilson brother in law and sister of the groom. The wedding party returned to Nevada City at 10 o'clock the same evening. Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Wilson motored as fas as Auburn with Mr. and Mrs. Downey where they caught the train for the bay region. He had to report for duty on his ship at midnight Sunday.

The groom is a native of Nevada City and is the son of Mrs. George Downey of Lost Hill. He is a veteran of the last war and after serving many years in the navy retired. He was called back into service and has been taking work in Washington, D. C. for a special promotion.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tourtellotte of Willow Valley have as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Meinhold and four children, of Big Creek. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McCormack and son also of Big Creek, Fresno County, spent the past week as the gueste of Mr. and Mrs. Tourtellotte.

Mrs. Howard Burr came up from San Francisco Friday and is spending some time in her home on upper Broad street. Her husband is employed in war work in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chandler and children have moved to Copperopolis where he is assisting with operation of a copper mine for the Lava Cap Mine interests. Leonard McClish, head electrician for the Lava Cap mine, has also gone to Copperopolis with the mining company.

Mrs. Bell Dolt and son, Ray Dolt, of Williams spent the past week end in Nevada City visiting their daughter and sister, respectively, and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Farnsworth. It was Dolt's first visit here and he is delighted with the district.

Mrs. Ed Brazell and two children of the bay district and mother are enjoying a months vacation in her home here.

Mrs. Will Davies returned to her home in Willow Valley Friday evening from a visit with her son, Wesley Davis and family in Sacramento.

Judge and Mrs. George Gildersleeve returned Friday evening from the bay district where they had been attending the Grand Council of Oustomah Lodge and Ponemah Council as delegates.

Warns Of Increasing Fire Hazards

Fire Chief Marc Edmonds and Fire Prevention Officer William French join with the State Division of Forestry officials in reminding local nimrods of the approaching dove season and the fire hazards existing in the hunting area.

Edmonds commends the hunters who use western Nevada County for their fine sportsmanship and interest in protecting our natural resources from the fire menace.

Fire protection officials warn that the valleys, foothills, and higher forested areas are becoming increasingly hazardous and fire danger will increase until fall rains bring relief.

The bride is principal of the San Bruno school and will continue to teach until the end of the war. She has visited in this city many times as a friend of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jackson and the Downey family.

Farm WAR NEWS

FROM NEVADA COUNTY USDA WAR BOARD

MORE SACKS AVAILABLE

An amendment of WPB restrictions on the purchase of new burlap sacks assures a plentiful supply to growers of grain and seeds in California and other western states. Previous regulations restricted purchase to 70 per cent of the number bought by the same grower in 1941.

The amendment permits the purchase of 100 per cent of the number bought in 1941, with the added provision that if an individual expects to harvest more grain or seed than he did in 1941, the number of new bags he may buy may be increased proportionately.

"FREE MARKET" A SUCCESS

That a tremendous potential market exists for so-called "surplus farm commodities" has been dramatically demonstrated by the success of a farmer-to-consumer market recently opened in San Francisco. Originally opened to dispose of "distress" pears in Sonoma County, the market surprised even its most enthusiastic supporters when it was literally stormed by city buyers who bought 16,000 lug boxes of apples, pears, and other commodities during the first five days of its existence.

The market is simply a vacant lot on downtown San Francisco where growers may bring their produce and sell it direct to consumers under a state law which permits sales from farmers' trucks without licenses or other restrictions. Most of the produce sold in the maket goes for canning, at prices satisfactory to producer and consumer alike. Facilities of the market have been utilized by growers from a large number of Northern California and San Joaquin Valley points.

Produce offered for sale is inspected by state officials, who report that generally it conforms with the state code for quality. Produce which fails to pass inspection cannot be sold.

The market is used chiefly by relatively small producers, whose production cannot be sent to market through usual channels, according to John G. Brucate, manager. Proponents of the market claim it also has the effect of preventing unreasonable high prices for produce moving through ordinary wholesale and retail channels.

"CALIFORNIA PLAN" ADOPTED

A recent order by Food Administrator Marvin Jones designating state commissioners of agriculture and directors of vocational education as members of State USDA War Boards puts the official seal of approval on a policy which has been in California since the establishment of War Boards. Representative of the state agricultural department, educators, farm organization leaders, and others, have functioned as advisory board members at both state and county levels.

CROP OUTLOOK BETTER

Improved growing conditions throughout the country are reflected in current crop estimates substantially above those made earlier in the season. It now appears that aggregate crop production in 1943 will be about 6 per cent below 1942, but 5 per cent higher than any previous year. Animals product will bring total food production above last year's all-time record.

BITS AND PIECES

California honey producers are turning in a record production this year, with all honey reported moving readily at ceiling prices. Argentina, normally the world's largest corn exporter, has prohibited the exportation of that commodity because of widespread crop failure. Manufacturers of jam, jelly, marmalade and fruit butter have been urged to expand their production and have been granted additional allocations of sugar.

DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS FOR MAX YOUNG

SOMEWHERE IN NEW GUINEA: Lt. Gen. George C. Kenney, Commander of the Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific, has awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross to Technical Sergt. Max B. Young, 711 Zion Street, Nevada City, "for extraordinary achievement" while participating in 200 hours of operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific Area during which hostile contact was probable and expected. These operations included bombing missions against enemy aidrdomes and installations and attacks on hostile naval vessels and shipping.

Throughout these operations, the citation stated, he demonstrated outstanding ability, courage and devotion to duty.

He is on active duty with a bombardment squadron of the Fifth Air Force which is playing a major role in General MacArthur's offensive against the Japanese in the South and Southwest Pacific.

Graveside Service For Mrs. Florence V. Matteson

Graveside services were held Saturday afternoon in the Pine Grove Cemetery under the direction of Holmes Funeral Home for the late Mrs. Flora V. Matteson, who passed away in Glendale, Los Angeles County. Rev. David Ralston, pastor of the Methodist Church, conducted the services.

Mrs. Matteson was 86 years of age and was a resident for many years of You Bet on the Bear River. She was the widow of the late Peter Matteson and had resided in Glendale for the last 33 years. Surviving her are the following children: Mrs. Ruth Rice, Frank J., Bert and Albert A. Matteson, all of Glendale, and Mrs. Adelaide Lohmon of Parlier.

An Unbeatable Warm Weather Combination

IT'S up to you, the homemaker, to liven up the family's leisure time now that war restrictions are keeping them at home. A few refreshments served in an attractive manner can easily turn a Sunday afternoon into a gala occasion, and what's more, your family will be delighted with the little fuss you have made over them. The party spread, photographed above, is really no trouble at all to make. The dainty sandwiches and frosty iced coffee are an unbeatable summer time combination. But be sure to make the coffee a bit stronger than usual to allow for melting ice. When you serve sandwiches in warm weather, it is a good idea to spread them with light spreads such as those shown in the illustration. The following are excellent: cream cheese, green pepper and celery; watercress and mayonnaise; tomato aspic garnished with olives; chopped parsley and cream cheese; and chopped carrot and lettuce. Don't forget to cut the bread very thin and into varied shapes to make a more attractive sandwich plate. Assorted breads also lend variety.

There is nothing quite so tempting to serve with these sandwiches on a scorching summer day as iced coffee. You will regain your pep and cool off while enjoying its flavorful goodness. And be sure to get the most out of your coffee by making it fresh each time you serve it. The ultimate in flavor is obtained by pouring freshly made hot coffee into a glass filled with ice. Add sugar and cream to individual taste. Many people prefer to take it plain with nothing added to the delicious coffee flavor.

PUBLIC INTEREST FOCUSED ON ELECTION

Interest in the 18 counties of the Second Congressional District is today centered in tomorrow's election of a congressman to succeed the late Harry L. Englebright who passed away last May. The successful candidate will be elected to fill the unexpired term of 16 months of the late represenative.

Two Republicans, Mrs. Gace Englebright of Nevada City, and Jesse Mayo, state senator of Angels Camp, and one Democrat, Clair Engle, state senator of Red Bluff, are candidates.

The polls will be open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. tomorrow. The day, following a ruling by Attorney General Robert W. Kenney, will not be a holiday.

ARRESTED ON FELONY CHARGE

Earl Wing, 33, of Grass Valley was arrested Saturday by Undersheriff William Woods on a felony warrant charging him with contributing to the delinquency of a minor wife whose husband complained. Wing is lodged in jail pending his arraignment in the Grass Valley Township Court.

Lowell Mellett, a White House favorite, announces that he is quitting OWI, but he will continue to handle certain details for the White House. At $10,000 a year. Nice work if you can get it until 1944.

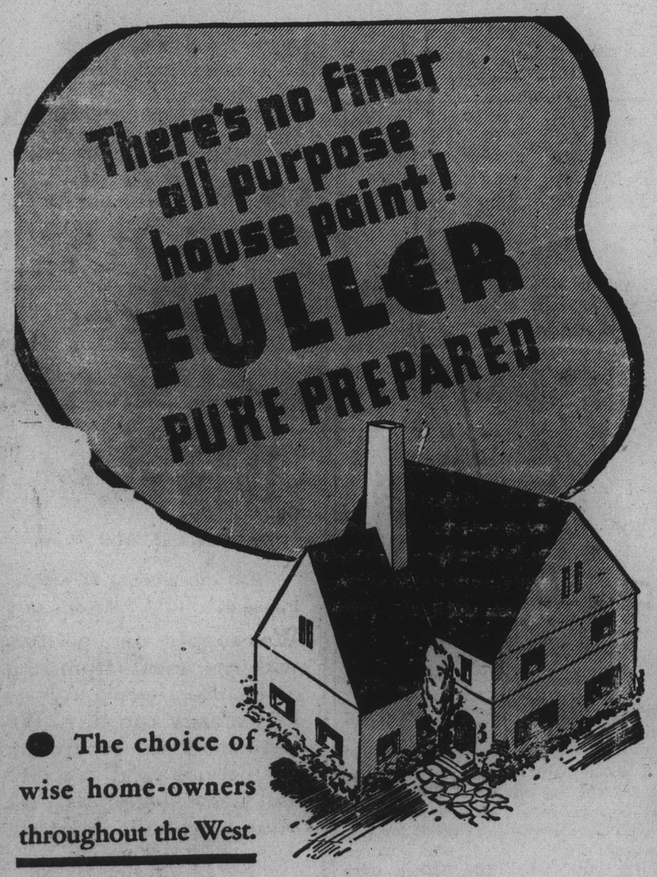
CANADA FEEDING HUNGRY GREECE

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Following the invasion and the liberation of Axis-held countries members of the United Nations are now setting up food supplies to feed Europe's hungry populations. Canada has already entered into an agreement with the Belgian government in London to deliver 7,000,000 bushels or 200,000 tons of wheat on request when all or part of Belgium is liberated.

Canada has given to Greece 5,476,211 bushels of wheat. As a gift of the Canadian people fifteen thousand tons of wheat go regularly to that country every month. In addition, the Dominion has extended a $10,000,000 credit to Russia covering purchases of Canadian wheat and flour.

Other countries will draw upon the Dominion's huge surplus which is now close to 800,000,000 bushels as a result of the heaviest crop in Canadian history in 1942—592,700,000 bushels—and another large crop in 1941; but much wheat is needed in wartime and will be required even more urgently in the post-war period.

The gross value of Canadian agricultural production, estimated at more than $2,000,000,000 in 1942, has reached its highest point since 1919. The war has been the means of showing what Canadian and American farmers can ge in the way of record-shattering production when given the "full speed ahead" signal.



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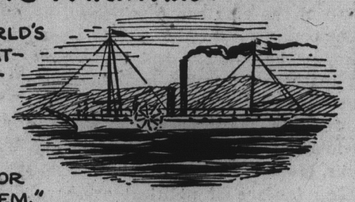

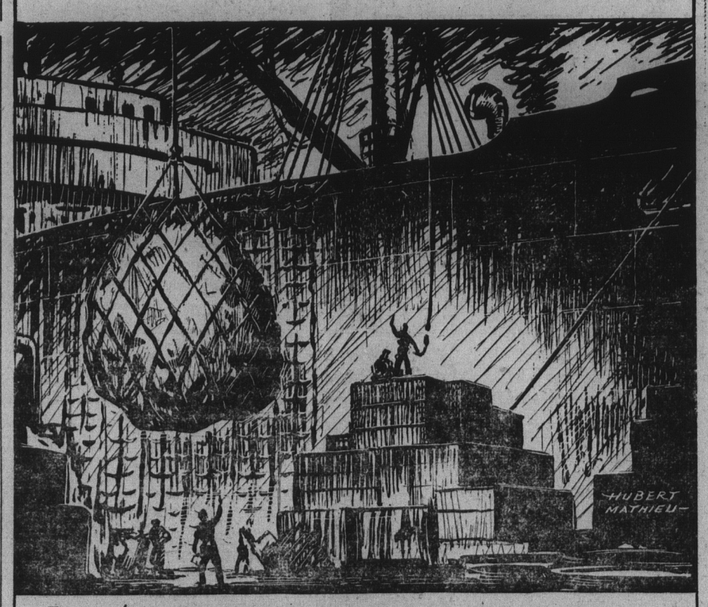

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